

No. 4735 號五十三百七千四第 日六十月二十年申壬 同 HONGKONG, TUESDAY, 14th JANUARY, 1873. 二拜禮 號四十月正英 港香 [PRICE \$2½ PER MONTH

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## Intimations

NOTICE  
M<sup>R</sup>. H. W. HARDY'S interest and responsibility in the business conducted on the 10th October last, and M<sup>R</sup>. WILLIAM ABBOTT TURNER has been admitted a Partner from that date.  
BIRLEY, WORthingTON & Co.  
169, SYDNEY STREET, 14th January, 1873.  
THE Office Building of the General Agents of the CHINA TRADING COMPANY, 48, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG, has been repaired, and the Meeting of Share-holders of the Company on the 16th instant will be held in the Office of the CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, NO. 48, QUEEN'S ROAD.  
AUGUSTINE H. REID & Co.,  
General Agents,  
90 Hongkong, 14th January, 1873.  
RO SWATOW, AMOY, FOOSHOW, and SHANGHAI.  
THE departure of the Steamship

"LUZON,"  
Williams, for the al-

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co.  
4d 91 Hongkong, 14th January, 1873.  
FOR SAIGON.

"FENELIA."

Captain Williams, will be despatched for the  
above Ports TO-MORROW, the 15th instant,  
at noon.


For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co.  
2d 92 Hongkong, 14th January, 1873.  
FOR MANILA.

## "VICT + CAROL"

space for light cargo, will have quick  
resputch as above.

For Freight, apply to  
**LANDSTEIN & Co.**  
of 93, Hongkong, 14th January, 1873.

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**SEALED TENDERS**, in duplicate, of Bank  
Bills, payable in Clear Mexican Dollars  
current at Shanghai on demand, in exchange  
for Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17 current in  
Hongkong, will be received by the undersigned  
until noon on the 20th instant, to the extent of  
\$50,000.

**C. K. CLEEVE,**  
*Assistant Controller.*

**H. M.'s Treasury Office,**  
Hongkong, 14th January, 1873. 5d 94.

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**SEALED TENDERS** (in duplicate), marked

be received at this

No Tender will be recognized unless the person making it shall previously register his name at the Royal Engineer Office—  
C. K. CLEEVE,\*  
Assistant Controller.

US will be received at  
2:50 PM

For the construction of a new Bidder for the  
 Portuguese Gunboat *Crimoes*.  
 Specification and other information may be  
 obtained at the same Consulate.  
 A. G. ROMANO,  
 Vice-Consul.  
 Portuguese Consulate General,  
 Hongkong, 11th January, 1873. [8d 85]

**YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION  
 OF SHANGHAI.**

**NOTICE.**

[THIS Association has declared a DIVIDEND  
 to Policy Holders of the fiscal year ending  
 September 30th, 1872, of 25 per cent. on the  
 net premium contributed, which is payable at our  
 Office, on or after this date.]  
 Policy Holders are requested to send in  
 vouchers of their contributions.  
 RUSSELL & Co.,  
 Agents.  
 1st 80 Hongkong, 11th January, 1873.

dersigned begs to inform  
of this Colony, that

give LESSONS in ENGLISH and FRENCH, and  
solicit their kind patronage. Terms moderate.  
Apply to J. M. HANLON, No. 12, Aberdeen  
Street, Hongkong.  
2nd 2189 Hongkong, 5th December, 1872.

MARINA.  
FRENCH HOTEL,  
BINONDO No. 37.  
THIS Hotel has been thoroughly renovated  
and is now open for families and gentle-  
men desiring first class accommodation.  
A fine Billiard Table is connected with  
the bar of Wines and Liquors with

All Languages spoken

**DALA ARI.** *Manager.*  
*Proprietor.*  
Manila, February 10th, 1872. [345]

**SAIL MAKING.**  
**WILLIAM DOLAN** begs to announce that he has erected a new establishment for  
**ORDERS FOR SAIL MAKING**  
in all its branches, at his place in *Duddell Street* and solicits the patronage of the Public.  
He has on hand a fine assortment of *Ram Head* and *Hounce* **RAVINS DUOK**, suitable for Boat Sail or for Awning.  
At 588 Hongkong, 11th September, 1872.

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**Notices to Consignees.**

**S. S. AUGUST LEFFLER, FROM BATAVIA  
AND SINGAPORE.**

THE above steamer having arrived, Consignees will please send their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature, and take immediate delivery of Cargo, remaining on board after noon TO-MORROW, the 5th inst., will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

**NORTON, LYALL & Co., Agents.**  
At 44 Hongkong, 4th January, 1873.

**COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.**

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**

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designed for coun

Give immediate delivery 1700, 1800, 1900, 2000, 2100, 2200, 2300, 2400, 2500, 2600, 2700, 2800, 2900, 3000, 3100, 3200, 3300, 3400, 3500, 3600, 3700, 3800, 3900, 4000, 4100, 4200, 4300, 4400, 4500, 4600, 4700, 4800, 4900, 5000, 5100, 5200, 5300, 5400, 5500, 5600, 5700, 5800, 5900, 6000, 6100, 6200, 6300, 6400, 6500, 6600, 6700, 6800, 6900, 7000, 7100, 7200, 7300, 7400, 7500, 7600, 7700, 7800, 7900, 8000, 8100, 8200, 8300, 8400, 8500, 8600, 8700, 8800, 8900, 9000, 9100, 9200, 9300, 9400, 9500, 9600, 9700, 9800, 9900, 10000, 10100, 10200, 10300, 10400, 10500, 10600, 10700, 10800, 10900, 11000, 11100, 11200, 11300, 11400, 11500, 11600, 11700, 11800, 11900, 12000, 12100, 12200, 12300, 12400, 12500, 12600, 12700, 12800, 12900, 13000, 13100, 13200, 13300, 13400, 13500, 13600, 13700, 13800, 13900, 14000, 14100, 14200, 14300, 14400, 14500, 14600, 14700, 14800, 14900, 15000, 15100, 15200, 15300, 15400, 15500, 15600, 15700, 15800, 15900, 16000, 16100, 16200, 16300, 16400, 16500, 16600, 16700, 16800, 16900, 17000, 17100, 17200, 17300, 17400, 17500, 17600, 17700, 17800, 17900, 18000, 18100, 18200, 18300, 18400, 18500, 18600, 18700, 18800, 18900, 19000, 19100, 19200, 19300, 19400, 19500, 19600, 19700, 19800, 19900, 20000, 20100, 20200, 20300, 20400, 20500, 20600, 20700, 20800, 20900, 21000, 21100, 21200, 21300, 21400, 21500, 21600, 21700, 21800, 21900, 22000, 22100, 22200, 22300, 22400, 22500, 22600, 22700, 22800, 22900, 23000, 23100, 23200, 23300, 23400, 23500, 23600, 23700, 23800, 23900, 24000, 24100, 24200, 24300, 24400, 24500, 24600, 24700, 24800, 24900, 25000, 25100, 25200, 25300, 25400, 25500, 25600, 25700, 25800, 25900, 26000, 26100, 26200, 26300, 26400, 26500, 26600, 26700, 26800, 26900, 27000, 27100, 27200, 27300, 27400, 27500, 27600, 27700, 27800, 27900, 28000, 28100, 28200, 28300, 28400, 28500, 28600, 28700, 28800, 28900, 29000, 29100, 29200, 29300, 29400, 29500, 29600, 29700, 29800, 29900, 30000, 30100, 30200, 30300, 30400, 30500, 30600, 30700, 30800, 30900, 31000, 31100, 31200, 31300, 31400, 31500, 31600, 31700, 31800, 31900, 32000, 32100, 32200, 32300, 32400, 32500, 32600, 32700, 32800, 32900, 33000, 33100, 33200, 33300, 33400, 33500, 33600, 33700, 33800, 33900, 34000, 34100, 34200, 34300, 34400, 34500, 34600, 34700, 34800, 34900, 35000, 35100, 35200, 35300, 35400, 35500, 35600, 35700, 35800, 35900, 36000, 36100, 36200, 36300, 36400, 36500, 36600, 36700, 36800, 36900, 37000, 37100, 37200, 37300, 37400, 37500, 37600, 37700, 37800, 37900, 38000, 38100, 38200, 38300, 38400, 38500, 38600, 38700, 38800, 38900, 39000, 39100, 39200, 39300, 39400, 39500, 39600, 39700, 39800, 39900, 40000, 40100, 40200, 40300, 40400, 40500, 40600, 40700, 40800, 40900, 41000, 41100, 41200, 41300, 41400, 41500, 41600, 41700, 41800, 41900, 42000, 42100, 42200, 42300, 42400, 42500, 42600, 42700, 42800, 42900, 43000, 43100, 43200, 43300, 43400, 43500, 43600, 43700, 43800, 43900, 44000, 44100, 44200, 44300, 44400, 44500, 44600, 44700, 44800, 44900, 45000, 45100, 45200, 45300, 45400, 45500, 45600, 45700, 45800, 45900, 46000, 46100, 46200, 46300, 46400, 46500, 46600, 46700, 46800, 46900, 47000, 47100, 47200, 47300, 47400, 47500, 47600, 47700, 47800, 47900, 48000, 48100, 48200, 48300, 48400, 48500, 48600, 48700, 48800, 48900, 49000, 49100, 49200, 49300, 49400, 49500, 49600, 49700, 49800, 49900, 50000, 50100, 50200, 50300, 50400, 50500, 50600, 50700, 50800, 50900, 51000, 51100, 51200, 51300, 51400, 51500, 51600, 51700, 51800, 51900, 52000, 52100, 52200, 52300, 52400, 52500, 52600, 52700, 52800, 52900, 53000, 53100, 53200, 53300, 53400, 53500, 53600, 53700, 53800, 53900, 54000, 54100, 54200, 54300, 54400, 54500, 54600, 54700, 54800, 54900, 55000, 55100, 55200, 55300, 55400, 55500, 55600, 55700, 55800, 55900, 56000, 56100, 56200, 56300, 56400, 56500, 56600, 56700, 56800, 56900, 57000, 57100, 57200, 57300, 57400, 57500, 57600, 57700, 57800, 57900, 58000, 58100, 58200, 58300, 58400, 58500, 58600, 58700, 58800, 58900, 59000, 59100, 59200, 59300, 59400, 59500, 59600, 59700, 59800, 59900, 60000, 60100, 60200, 60300, 60400, 60500, 60600, 60700, 60800, 60900, 61000, 61100, 61200,







## Post-Office Notifications

dispatched on THURSDAY, the 16th inst  
 at noon, with the Mails—  
 To and through the Mediterranean  
 Mail, to France and other Coast  
 Ports (in closed mail to France), to  
 Singapore, Galle, Calcutta, Bombay,  
 Aden, Socatra, Reunion and Mauritius  
 and Alexandria.  
 The Office will be open for the receipt  
 of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books  
 until 11 A.M. on the 16th instant, after  
 no Letters can be received.  
 Money Orders on any of the Money  
 Order Offices of the United Kingdom will be  
 given until 5 P.M. on the 16th instant.  
 Letters for Registration will be re-  
 ceived until 10 A.M. on the 16th instant.  
 F. W. AGHREL,  
*Postmaster-General*  
 General Post Office,  
 Hongkong, 22d January, 1873.

given notice to the General Post Office in Hong Kong that articles of Jewellery received in the Colony are chargeable with Customs Duty. The undersigned considers it necessary to draw your attention to the Regulation known to the Public, and to state that any letters or packets containing such articles sent through the Post are liable to be opened and their contents, to be forfeited.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 22nd January, 1873.

It is hereby notified, that hereafter Letters and Postage on Letters addressed to Batavia, forwarded by French Packet, will be 18 pence for each half ounce, pre-payment compulsory.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 23rd December, 1872.

It is hereby notified that the rates of postage chargeable hereonth on Letters addressed to the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the United Kingdom, are now forwarded by French Packet, will be the same as those charged on Letters forwarded by British Packet, via the Cape of Good Hope.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 29th April, 1872.

It is hereby notified for general information that hereafter Letters and Postage on Letters addressed to Russia, when marked to be forwarded via Southampton, will be reduced to 40 pence per half-ounce.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 18th September, 1872.

It is hereby notified that hereafter the rates of postage which must be paid on Letters and Postage on Packets of printed paper patterns of light weight sent from Hong Kong to the United Kingdom by the United Kingdom Packet via San Francisco, will be as follows:

For a packet not exceeding 1 ounce  
in weight..... 2 pence

For a packet above 1 ounce not exceeding 2 ounces..... 4 pence

For a packet above 2 ounces not exceeding 4 ounces..... 6 pence

For a packet above 4 ounces not exceeding 8 ounces..... 8 pence

and eight cents for every additional four or five.  
These rates apply to Printed Circulars,  
Lists, Market Reports, and all printed  
matter which Newspapers, as well as to  
Trade Patterns or Samples.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
*Postmaster General*

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

Arrangements having been made  
which Mail for London arriving at Swatow  
China by Private Ships will be forwarded  
to Hongkong via Shanghai. It is hereby notified  
that the rates of postage, which must be paid  
in advance, on correspondence addressed to  
United Kingdom so forwarded, will be  
low, viz.,—

For Newspapers.....	24 cents per half sheet.
"          "          "	8       "      each.
For Books and "        "        "	(not exceeding 1 ounce 4
Patterns.....)	2       "      each.
"          "          "	every additional 1/2 lb. 6       "      do.
"          "          "	12       "      do.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
*Postmaster General*

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

It is hereby notified that arrangements  
have been completed under which correspon-  
dence from Hongkong may be forwarded to Na-  
gasaki, via Shanghai, add to Hogo via Yokohama  
United States Mail Packets, and that Letters  
for Hongkong and places beyond Hongkong  
may be forwarded from Nagasaki and there-  
by means of the United States' Packet  
Shanghai and Yokohama respectively.

The rates of postage payable in ad-  
vance on such correspondence for each half  
sheet on Letters, two cents on each Newspaper  
two cents on each two ounces of Book  
Samples, and one cent on each quarter ounce  
of matter sent to the States specified in the Table of Rates  
Postage as presented in force.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
*Postmaster General*

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 16th January, 1871.

It is hereby notified that the postage of  
Letters sent to the States specified in the Table  
will be reduced to one cent per quarter ounce  
when forwarded by French Mail Packets,  
and to one cent per quarter ounce when forwarded  
by British Mail Packet.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
*Postmaster General*

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

\* It is hereby notified for general information that the Postage and Letters addressed to the way, when forwarded via Southampton, will henceforward be 36 cents for each half of which may either be paid in advance, or be paid on collection. Delivery of the Letters via the Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

**F. W. MURCHELL,**  
 Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
 Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870.

With reference to the Post Office Notification dated the 23rd February, 1863, which was published in Government Gazette No. 3 of the 27th February, page 78, it is hereby notified that the paid Correspondence for China and Japan forwarded from Australia and New Zealand to Hongkong, and thence by the British Mail, will henceforward be delivered free of charge.

Further, that as under the new arrangement of the Office of the Postmaster General, the Mail for the Australian Colonies forwarded from Hongkong by British Packet now Point to Gale after the departure of the Pacific for Australia, Mails for Australia and New Zealand will be made up and sent by the Point to Gale by the French Mail P.M.

whenever advantage will be gained by so doing.  
The Rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance on such Correspondence, whether forwarded by British or French Packet, will be 24 cents each half ounce for Letters, 2 cents for each Newspaper or Price Current, and 8 cents for each four ounces of Newspapers, or Packets of Patterned Paper. The Registration Fee, 12 cents each Letter.  
F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong 10th June, 1872.



